# **Richard Bayes, Vice President**

#### December 2012

#### **New projects**

## **Blueprint**

The Blueprint document is collaboration of student comments and suggestions from the NSS/SVS Surveys along with other means of feedback (Programme Committees, Feedback Forms). I am working with our market research intern to find trends or areas of concern which we can present to the University as key priorities to work towards.

We are hoping to have the document ready by Christmas to show University Executive.

**Completion Date: Dec** 

### **Green Impact Excellence Project**

First stage of the Green Impact Excellence project took place Saturday the  $24^{th}$  of Nov in the Student Space in Stafford. It was an amazing success and we will be hosting the  $2^{nd}$  phase in January

The project we have chosen to do as a Union this year is a Computer Recycling/Refurbishment scheme which will help students gather skills and CV worthy experience, it also helps the wider community which are our target to deliver working refurbished PC's to, last but not least it is "ERecycling". Reusing IT equipment saves buying new equipment. This has an impact on the environment with waste of the old equipment being disposed, but also building new components causes large amounts of carbon and unethical labour which can be avoided.

Completion Date: March/April 2013

## **On-going projects**

### Website

The new website has gone through some teething stages and we are now moving to working with departments within the union to develop the website to meet each department's needs. **Completion Date: On-Going** 

#### Items to note

## **Review of Welcome**

In the next few weeks I will be meeting University to discuss and review the whole Welcome for new students Enrolment, Initial Lectures to Accommodation. I will feedback on this in my report in January.